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around the state and one of them was between Wahoo and Omaha, and I was invited to a meeting to discuss the program and to learn about it and I went and I spent an entire...entire evening visiting with people from the Brown School and counselors and the individual...and I even hate to say this, Senator Chambers, I don't want to incite you with this, but the primary counselor who represented that if this program goes in Nebraska that he would be in charge of the program was a...was a black counselor whom I thought was...did an outstanding job of presenting information on what kind of progress they had made with some kids in other states. We learned about how the program had been used in California, as I recall, and I think it was Utah, I believe, if I remember right. But the name Wilderness Camp perhaps is a misnomer to some extent, because I don't think that...that the program in any respect resembles taking a group of people into the wilderness. It is a program that uses an outdoor setting to try to begin to accomplish what they're trying to do and, as I recall, when these young people are brought into the program and they're screened, I think, pretty carefully, too. They do not...they do not take in violent offenders, but they try to screen those that they think would be good candidates. They bring them in and for at least three to four weeks they work in a...they are in an outdoor setting and they basically go through a set of basic living skills dealing with the outdoors. Following that, they invite their families, parents, siblings if there are any, to come to the camp and to spend time with the counselors and with the...with the youth, and they try to work on problems that...reasons why the youth may or may not be able to function in his family setting that he comes from. They continue to work on that during the 60 to 90 days that the youth is in the camp. Then following that time the youth returns home, as some others have said, and there is a six- to nine-month aftercare program involving the families of these individuals. Now where they have used this approach the recidivism is extremely low. There is a 90 to 93 percent, as I recall, rate of nonrecurrence back into the legal system by these individuals, and I know that there's some...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR BROMM: ...there's some gamble, there's some risk involved here, but I can assure you that the intentions of the